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SUBJECT: 4th Annual Society of American Indian Government Employees (SAIGE)
Training Conference

The Society of American Indian Government Employees (SAIGE) will hold their 4th Annual Training Conference, June 25-29, 2007, at the Loews Ventana Hotel in Tucson, Arizona. The theme for this year is, "*All My Relations Coming Together.*" The conference is designed to promote the professional growth, development and continuing education of federal employees.

As related in Mr. Dominguez's December 21, 2006 memorandum on our outreach efforts, the Department of Defense (DoD) will host a forum on Monday, June 25, 2007, from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. and a military banquet on Tuesday, June 26, 2007, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Loews Ventana Hotel in Tucson, Arizona. All DoD personnel who register for the SAIGE conference are expected to attend the forum. Local DoD personnel are encouraged to attend the forum, even if they are not registered for the conference. Registration details are available at the website, www.saige.org.

Supervisors may allow DoD personnel involved in policies and programs affecting equal employment opportunity to take advantage of the forum and conference. Examples include military and civilian equal opportunity directors and managers, special emphasis program managers, human resources specialists, and individuals in supervisory and managerial positions. Although the selection of attendees is left to the discretion of the Components, please consider requests from DoD personnel who may not have a programmatic responsibility, but may benefit from this opportunity.

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